UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

HUDSON PRIVATE LP,

Plaintiff,

22 Civ. 5520 (PAE)

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CREATIVE WEALTH MEDIA FINANCE CORP.,

Defendant.

<u>ORDER</u>

PAUL A. ENGELMAYER, District Judge:

On October 27, 2022, the Court adjourned an initial conference in this matter to allow defendant Creative Wealth Media Finance Corp. ("Creative Wealth") to file a motion for consolidation, and to give plaintiff Hudson Private LP ("Hudson Private") time to oppose that motion, if it wished. *See* Dkt. 31.

On November 1, 2022, Creative Wealth moved to consolidate this matter with a matter in this same District before the Hon. Cathy Seibel, *Hudson Private LP v. Bron Studios USA, Inc. et al.*, 21 Civ. 08259 (CS). *See* Dkts. 32, 33, 34, 35. On November 3, 2022, Hudson Private opposed the motion. *See* Dkts. 36, 37.

On November 2, 2022, after Creative Wealth moved but before Hudson Private opposed, the Court was notified via ECF that Judge Seibel—responding to a statement of relatedness from Creative Wealth filed at case opening in July 2022—had declined to accept the case as related.

This Court defers to Judge Seibel's assessment. Accordingly, Creative Wealth's motion for consolidation is denied. The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to close the pending motion at Docket 32. The initial pretrial conference scheduled for November 18, 2022, at 4 p.m., will go forward as scheduled.

SO ORDERED.

PAUL A. ENGELMAYER

United States District Judge

Dated: November 10, 2022 New York, New York